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sight in ensuring that our leaders are above reproach, tested and most importantly full of integrity. This makes the processes in the Party stronger, makes the Party more inclined to be transparent and to be more open to deal with internal issues in a mature yet coordinated manner. I would therefore would like to deeply congratulate all the districts that have embraced the path of collective decision making within the democratic process to peacefully elect their candidates. Let the campaigns be held in the same spirit but with vigor and passion.

Ensure to be vigilant against misguided and brainwashed agents of doom. Lastly, I would like to make a heartfelt request to the entire SWAPO Party, wings and affiliates, could we please stop this unpalatable culture of attempting to resolve Party issues in the Media!!!! I beg of you all.

Our SWAPO Party has, always had and always will have structures for any party member to air and have their issues addressed. A people united for a progressive common goal with determination will always emerge victorious and advanced. Long live the SWAPO Party long live.

◆ **Posted by Mathews Nehemiah**  
O,SWAPO party ongundu yo shiwana no shiwana osho o,swapo party, omutse kaguna ondunge ohaguhepe olutu lo RDP,RP novaya makwawo onghe shiwana kotoka eembwa dhendambi omodhili mokati keni omo, onghe to all commrades vote swapo party,swapo is the only party that can unite all the namibian nation, what a shame to this pupil who are confused and need a serious medication. VIVA COMRADE PRESIDENT AND HIS TEAM

◆ **Posted by Cde.Kutusha kaNamibia**  
Congratulations to all candidates,who happen to be relected or elected from the concluded primaries. Now is hard work for you to ensure a total victory for you and the Mighty SWAPO Party in the Constituency or Local Authority,you will stand as candidate.Mobilization should continue....Viva S W A P O ! S W A P O United!Now Hard Work Comrades!We shall disappoint them again! Will they go to court again?

◆ **Posted by Anthony Bessinger**  
I concur with the statement from Cde Ngurare SWAPO is the alpha and the omega. Our first objective was the win over the hearts and minds of the

people and we succeeded. Our second objective was to create a covenant with the people and we have succeeded. Our third objective was to liberate Namibia and through the will of God and the wish of the people even that objective has been achieved. As we prepare for battle in this the second decade of the new Millennium our objective is the economic and social emancipation of the great people of Namibia. I therefore repeat SWAPO is the Alpha and the Omega because it is through the grace of God and the will of the people that we are tasked to serve the people. Amandla Awethu

◆ **Posted by Stephen Iimbili-Ondangwa**  
Congrats to all SWAPO party candidates, put up strong campaign, we voters/supporters will do our work come November and after that we want services to be delivered. Blue,Red n Green 4 ever!!!!!!!

◆ **Posted by I.H.Hekandjo-Okalongo**  
In life we need to say thanks ,Thanks to Cde Sofia Shaningwa and Cde Penda ya Ndakolo for you hard work over the years and Once more for the idea you took to give chance to other after a long serveces. here you are showing us that there is life after being a Letter A or B, But let me ask you to be a supervisor of the new in came and give them help

where its needed, because of the good experience you have in hand. may Godbless .

◆ **Posted by Cde.Katusha kaNamibia**  
Dear Comrades,where are the democratic process of the opposition?Only the Mighty SWAPO Party thus far have primaries.How are they select their candidates?Should I say that only SWAPO Party is democratic enough to hold primaries to select candidates.Do I heard opposition talking about democracy?Then why they can,t implement it.So they are hand picked candidates,shame on them.Glory to the Mighty SWAPO Party for always being democratic.We shall disappoint them, together with their hand picked candidates.Victory is certain!Aluta Continua Comrades,mobilization should goes on.Total victory is ours!

◆ **Posted by Cde. Land of the Brave**  
SWAPO oya kindja. Its that time again when we have to start campaigning for our mighty party. Hope all Comrades are ready. We are victorious already, its just a matter of affirming!

◆ **Posted by Mathews Nehemiah**  
VIVA SWAPO !!!! VIVA SWAPO !!!

The total trade volume was 2.5 billion U.S. dollars when diplomatic ties were forged in 1979, while the figure has surged to over 350 billion dollars at present, Wen said, adding that it signified the bilateral economic and trade relationship has kept a sound momentum.

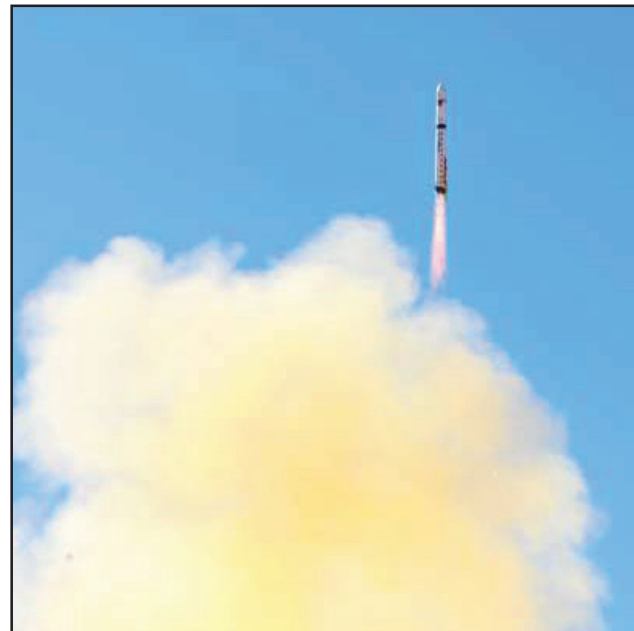
China became the third biggest market for U.S. exports in 2009. Over the past three decades, the U.S. enterprises have altogether invested over 62.2 billion dollars in 58,000 projects in China, and in 2008 alone, their profits amounted to approximately 8 billion dollars, according to the official data provided by the Chinese government.

Wen said the RMB exchange rate isn't responsible for the mounting U.S. trade deficits.

The reason lies in the structure of Sino-U.S. investment and trade. Both countries should carry out a large-scale trade investment cooperation based on equality, mutual trust and mutual benefit.

China has taken it as its national strategy to expand domestic demands, protect intellectual property rights and promote sustainable development, Wen said.

Foreign companies in China have always enjoyed national treatment and are welcomed to play a more active role in



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## China launches new satellite

**JIUQUAN, Gansu,** — China successfully launched a remote-sensing satellite "Yaogan XI" Wednesday from the Jiuquan Satellite Launch Center in the northwestern Gansu Province.

The satellite was sent into space aboard a Long March 2-D carrier rocket at 10:42 a.m.

(Beijing Time), according to the center.

The satellite will be used to conduct scientific experiment, carry out surveys on land resources, estimate crops yield and help with natural disaster-reduction and prevention endeavor. (Xinhua)

## DPRK appoints new vice PM, vice FMs

**PYONGYANG,** — Kang Sok Ju was appointed as vice premier of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) on Thursday, according to a decree of the Presidium of the DPRK Supreme People's Assembly.

Kim Kye Gwan was appointed as first vice minister of

foreign affairs and Ri Yong Ho as vice minister of foreign affairs.

Kang Sok Ju was the first vice minister of foreign affairs and Kim Kye Gwan was vice minister of foreign affairs before the appointment. Kim Kye Gwan was also the DPRK envoy of six-party talks. (Xinhua)

## Russian Parliament not to raise legal drinking age

**MOSCOW,** — A committee of the Russian Parliament or State Duma, has recommended the Lower House to reject a draft bill which would increase the legal drinking age, RBC Daily reported on Tuesday. The draft bill proposed the drinking age be increased from the current 18 to 21.

The bill's supporters said that 18-year-old teenagers are still unable to tell quality alcohol from its surrogates, and often

cannot afford anything but the cheapest and so most dangerous sorts of liquor.

The State Duma's Committee for Economy and Entrepreneurship dismissed the argument, saying it allegedly violates the constitutional rights of the adult citizens.

Twenty-one is a legal drinking age in the United States, which is one of the highest age ceilings in the world. (Xinhua)

boosting China's development, he added.

During the discussion, participants from the U.S. side, including former U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger and former Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin, also called for closer cooperation between the two countries, adding that China is a stabilizing factor for global economic and financial system.

They said the development of a sound U.S.-China economic and trade relationship would benefit both sides. The two countries should hold dialogues in wider aspects and

properly handle their frictions.

During Wen's three-day visit here, he will address the UN summit on the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs), the general debate of the 65th session of the UN General Assembly, a summit of the UN Security Council member states and a high-level discussion panel on AIDS and MDGs.

He will also meet some world leaders, UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon, Sino-U.S. friendship groups, overseas Chinese representatives and foreign media in New York. (Xinhua)

# Premier Wen calls for large-scale Sino-U.S. economic, trade co-op



Chinese Premier Wen Jiabao (R, front) holds talks with people from the business, financial and academic circle of the U.S. in New York, the United States, on Sept. 22, 2010.

**NEW YORK,** — Chinese Premier Wen Jiabao said on Wednesday that China and the United States should positively carry out a large-scale economic and trade cooperation.

When meeting celebrities from the U.S. economic and financial community, Wen said

political and strategic mutual trust should be the precondition of such cooperation.

Since the establishment of diplomatic ties 31 years ago, China and the United States have developed a lot more common interests than differences. The two countries have

strengthened strategic mutual trust, widened the basis for cooperation and deepened interdependence, Wen said.

He said a sound and stable Sino-U.S. economic and trade relationship is in line with the fundamental interests of both countries.